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SYSTEM USING SUCH METHOD AND STORAGE
MEDIUM STORING THEREIN ITS CONTENTS
SALES PROGRAM
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**PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED
CLAIM FOR THE BENEFIT OF A PRIOR APPLICATION
UNDER 37 CFR §1.178(a)(3)**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition to accept an unintentionally delayed claim for the benefit of a prior application under 35 U.S.C. §120. In particular, Applicants inadvertently failed to claim priority to prior U.S. application serial no. 09/244,050.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.78(a)(3) the following is submitted:

- (i) the reference required by 35 U.S.C. §120 is provided in the attached

Request for Certificate of Correction;

- (ii) the surcharge set forth in §1.17(t) is enclosed; and

Respectfully submitted,

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